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SUBJ: ARAB LEAGUE SEC GEN IN UGANDA

1. CAIRO PRESS AUGUST 12 REPORTS ARAB LEAGUE SEC GEN RIAD RETURNS TODAY TO CAIRO FOLLOWING THREE DAY VISIT TO UGANDA FOR TALKS WITH AMIN ON MIDDLE EAST, PALESTINE, AND AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENT. PRESS HAD PREVIOUSLY REPORTED THAT PURPOSE OF RIAD TRIP WAS TO "MEDIATE" BETWEEN ZAMBIA AND UGANDA.

2. COMMENT: THERE IS MUCH TALK HERE ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF UGANDA FOLLOWING LEAD OF SOMALIA AND REQUESTING MEMBERSHIP IN ARAB LEAGUE. NOTION OF "ARAB UGANDA" HAS SET OFF SPATE OF JOKES AND SO FAR IT IS DIFFICULT TO KNOW IF ARAB LEAGUE WOULD IN FACT BE RECEPTIVE TO FEELER FROM GENERAL AMIN.

ARAB LEAGUE, OF COURSE, ACCEPTED SOMALIA CHIEFLY IN ORDER TO GET ADDITIONAL VOTE FOR ARAB BLOC IN INTERNATIONAL FORUMS.  
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